

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Subject: Notice of informal working group meeting on September 19, 2013 to discuss modifications to RPS compliance report spreadsheet concerning reporting requirements to support portfolio content category claims of RPS procurement.

Energy Division staff is seeking stakeholder participation in an informal working group on September 19, 2013, to discuss modifications to the existing Renewables Portfolio Standard (RPS) program compliance report spreadsheet that are necessary to implement the portfolio content category rules established under decisions (D.) [11-12-052](#) and [D.12-06-038](#).

The working group will be held on September 19, 2013 from 10am – 4pm at the CPUC (505 Van Ness Avenue – Golden Gate Room).

On June 14, 2013, Energy Division staff issued, via email to the RPS proceeding service list, a staff proposal and draft reporting spreadsheets describing the type of information retail sellers would be required to submit for Commission staff determine portfolio content category (PCC) classification for each renewable energy credit (REC) retired by retail sellers for the purpose of meeting an RPS procurement quantity requirement. On June 21, 2013, several stakeholders provided comments on the staff proposal. The staff proposal, draft reporting spreadsheets and stakeholder comments are available on the Commission's RPS website:

<http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/Renewables/index.htm>

The purpose of the working group is to discuss stakeholder comments regarding the Energy Division staff proposal and draft reporting spreadsheets, with an emphasis on:

- Information that retail sellers must provide about their RPS procurement for Commission staff to make a compliance determination that the retail seller's RPS procurement actually meets the requirements of the portfolio content category in which it is claimed, consistent with D.11-12-052 and D.12-06-038.
- RPS compliance report spreadsheet formatting and functionality to maximize ease of use by retail sellers and provide program transparency for interested stakeholders.

Please RSVP with Robert Blackney (robert.blackney@cpuc.ca.gov) by September 6, 2013 and include the names and e-mail address of the individual(s) who will be attending the working group. Energy Division staff will circulate a detailed agenda in advance of the working group meeting.

If you have any questions related to the working group meeting, please contact Robert Blackney at robert.blackney@cpuc.ca.gov or 415.703.3072.